



RECRUITMENT

U.S. EMBASSY, TEL AVIV

ALL CANDIDATES MUST FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLYING AND READ THE "OTHER INFORMATION SECTION" TO MAXIMIZE THE OPPORTUNITY FOR CONSIDERATION FOR THIS POSITION.
ANNOUNCEMENT NUMBER: 15-040

OPEN TO: **U.S. EMBASSY EMPLOYEES ONLY**
POSITION TITLE/GRADE: ASSISTANT AGENT IN CHARGE – FSN-7
OPENING DATE: MAY 6, 2015
CLOSING DATE: MAY 20, 2015
WORK HOURS: 45 hour work week, must be available to work nights, weekends, and holidays if needed.

BASIC FUNCTION OF POSITION:

This position is located in the Regional Security Office working for the Ambassador's Protective Detail (APD). The incumbent serves as a close protective agent to the Chief of Mission (COM) and as an assistant to the Agent in Charge, on an assigned shift, in accordance with standard personnel security protection principles and methods.

QUALIFICATION REQUIRED:

NOTE: All applicants must address each selection criterion detailed below with specific and comprehensive information supporting each item.

- Completion of Secondary School is required.
- Completion of full mandatory IDF combat 07 grade of military service is required or police training and experience in protective security related duties, minimum of 1 year experience working as a member of the Ambassador's Protective Detail (APD).
- Level 3 English and Hebrew (good working knowledge) is required.
- The incumbent must have knowledge of personnel protective security principles and standard rules, procedures and techniques. Must have knowledge of the geography and politics of Israel, security and military organizations, transportation, communication, and health care systems. The incumbent must have knowledge of Diplomatic Security Standards of operation of primary and secondary protective vehicles in a hostile environment. In addition, he or she must have knowledge of local traffic laws and area traffic patterns, with particular attention to hospital and safe haven routes.
- He or she must have skill in using personal security protection equipment including fire arms. Must be skilled in oral and written communication to deal effectively with all levels of mission and prepare clear and concise written reports. He or she must have the ability to endure extreme physical demands. The work regularly involves exposure to dangerous situations or unusual environment stress resulting from the high risks and pressures associated with providing physical protection to a high profile public official.
- He or she must maintain a valid driver license and be proficient in the operation of primary and secondary protective vehicles according to DS protective standards. Must accomplish a valid "C" type license within the first six months of assignment.

UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES WILL NOT BE NOTIFIED

ADDITIONAL SELECTION CRITERIA:

1. Management will consider nepotism/conflict of interest, budget, and residency status in determining successful candidacy.
2. Current employees serving a probationary period are not eligible to apply.
3. Currently employed U.S. Citizen EFMs who hold a FMA appointment are ineligible to apply for advertised positions within the first 90 calendar days of their employment.
4. Currently employed NORs hired under a Personal Services Agreement (PSA) are ineligible to apply for advertised positions within the first 90 calendar days of their employment, unless currently hired into a position with a When Actually Employed (WAE) work schedule.
5. (As required): The candidate must be able to obtain and hold a security clearance.

HOW TO APPLY:

- Submit a Curriculum Vitae by email telavivemp@state.gov or by fax: 972-3-519-7605 or via mail to the U.S. Embassy, Human Resources Office, 71 Hayarkon St., Tel Aviv, Israel. Or you can use the Universal Application for Employment [DS-174](#). To apply using the form you must download the form onto your personal computer and send using one of the methods described above.
- Vacancy number must appear on all applications.
- Applications must be received by the closing date specified on the announcement. Applications received after this date will not be considered.
- Resumes must include: Citizenship, date of birth, fax number, or complete mail address, colleges attended, work experience (include dates of employment, duties, correct address for employer), special skills, language, trade and licenses.
- All candidates must be 18 years of age or hold a high school diploma to be eligible for consideration.
- The application must contain all information necessary to demonstrate that the candidate possesses the education, experience, skills and language abilities required for this position. Applicants who fail to meet requirements for the position will be disqualified.
- If college education is a requirement for the position, a transcript is required.

OTHER INFORMATION:

- In order for U.S. citizens to be considered for employment, proof must be provided with their application, of their Israeli citizenship, work permit and/or legal status in Israel.
- Former U.S. military members (up to rank of Major) who claim Veteran preference may receive preference if found qualified for the position. Copy of DD-214 must be provided.
- Eligible Family Members of USG direct hire employees receive preference if found to be among the best qualified.
- Candidates are subject to testing for language, computer or other position related skills.
- Candidates must list any relatives that work for the United States Embassy in Tel Aviv.
- Post has a nepotism policy.

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DEFINITIONS:

1. AEFM: A type of EFM that is eligible for direct hire employment on either a Family Member Appointment (FMA) or Temporary Appointment (TEMP) provided s/he meets all of the following criteria:
 - U.S. citizen;
 - Spouse or dependent who is at least age 18;
 - Listed on the travel orders of a Foreign or Civil Service or uniformed service member permanently assigned to or stationed at a US Foreign Service post or establishment abroad with a USG agency that is under COM authority;
 - Is resident at the sponsoring employee's or uniform service member's post of assignment abroad, approved safehaven abroad, or alternate safehaven abroad; and
 - Does not receive USG annuity or pension based on a career in the US Civil, Foreign, or uniform services.
2. EFM: Family Members at least age 18 listed on the travel orders of a Foreign of Civil Service or uniformed service member permanently assigned to or stationed to a US Foreign Service post or establishment abroad with a USG agency that is under COM authority who do not meet the definition of AEFM above.

3. Member of Household: A MOH is a person who: 1) Has accompanied, but is not on the travel orders of a U.S. citizen Foreign or Civil Service employee or uniform service member permanently assigned to or stationed at a U.S. Foreign service post or establishment abroad; 2) Has been declared by the sponsoring employee to the Chief of Mission as part of his/her household; and 3) Resides at post with the sponsoring employee.
4. Ordinarily Resident (OR): A citizen of the host country or a citizen of another country who has shifted the main residency focus to the host country and has the required work and/or residency permits for employment in country.
5. Not-Ordinarily Resident (NOR): Typically NORs are US Citizen EFM's and EFM's of FS, GS, and uniformed service members who are eligible for employment under an American USG pay plan, on the travel orders and under Chief of Mission authority, or other personnel having diplomatic privileges and immunities.

The US Mission in Israel provides equal opportunity and fair and equitable treatment in employment to all people without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, political affiliation, marital status, or sexual orientation. The Department of State also strives to achieve equal employment opportunity in all personnel operations through continuing diversity enhancement programs.

The EEO complaint procedure is not available to individuals who believe they have been denied equal opportunity based upon marital status or political affiliation. Individuals with such complaints should avail themselves of the appropriate grievance procedures, remedies for prohibited personnel practices, and/or courts for relief.

